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| Examiner | : | Murphy, J. | |

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing nine (9) references that are also enclosed. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a final action and before the mailing date of a notice of allowance under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), (1), (2). This statement is accompanied by the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p).

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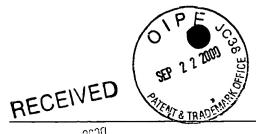
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application are:

- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement.
- A PTO Form 1449 with nine (9) references. (X)
- A check in the amount of \$240 to cover the above fee is enclosed. (X)
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or (X) credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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